

RED CHARGES U.S. HIDES NEW 4 - DETECTORS

GENEVA, Switzerland, Oct. 19. (Reuters)—Russia today accused the United States of deliberately concealing new techniques for detecting nuclear tests.

The Russian delegate, Semyon Tsarapkin, said at the three-power nuclear test ban negotiations that Dr. Frank Press, a scientist at the University of California, had developed "extremely good instruments" but the United States government was suppressing the news.

The American delegate, Charles Stelle, said that it was true certain advances had been made but these had to be used together with other techniques in analyzing suspicious events. Tsarapkin raised the issue in

defense of the Soviet argument that underground nuclear tests can be distinguished from earthquakes by detection systems without on-site inspections, as demanded by the United States.